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Applicant:	Hataguchi, et al	
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For:	Encoder Utilizing a Reflective Cylindrical Surface	
Group Art Unit:	2878	Examiner: Wyatt, Kevin

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In reply to the Final Action dated 7/14/2006, in the above-identified patent application, Applicant submits the following Amendments and Remarks. An RCE accompanies this response. Applicant respectfully requests that the following amendments be entered into the above-identified application and that the Examiner reconsider the grounds for rejection stated in the Office Action.